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Applicant : Thomas J. Berwald et al  
Attorney Docket No. : 60327.85176-001  
Customer No. : 24335  
For : SOFT-METAL ELECTROMECHANICAL COMPONENT AND  
METHOD MAKING SAME

MS PATENT APPLICATION  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Enclosed herewith is the above-identified continuation-in-part application of U.S.  
Application Serial No. 10/458,944, filed June 11, 2003 (now U.S. Patent \_\_\_\_\_)  
comprising the following parts:

17 Pages of Specification and Claims

Declaration

3 Sheets of Drawings

Assignment and Assignment Recording Fee of \$40

Disclosure Statement and listed references

Filing Fee:

Basic Fee:	\$385.00
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Additional Fees:

Each independent claim in excess of three, times \$43	86.00
Number of claims in excess of twenty, times \$9	351.00
Each multi-dependent claim, times \$145	435.00

Total Filing Fee	<u>\$1,257.00</u>
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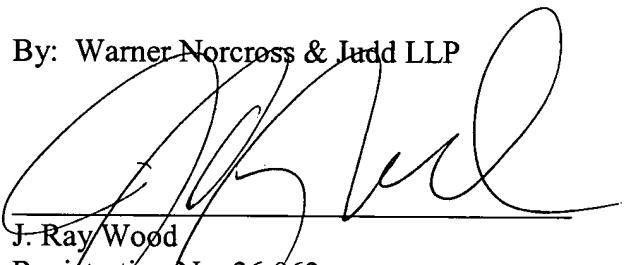
Applicants hereby claims small entity status.

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Respectfully submitted,

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